

LOCAL RULE 26.1 SCHEDULING CONFERENCE

Rule 26(f) Meeting. Rule 26(f) meetings may be conducted by telephone. Unless otherwise ordered by the court (1) parties need not present a written report outlining the discovery plan at the preliminary pretrial conference, and (2) the initial status hearing shall be the scheduling conference referred to in Fed.R.Civ.P. 26(f).

[Note: Judge Shadur does not require a written report outlining the discovery plan before or at the Status Hearing Date referred to in his initial memorandum order. As that order reflects, that subject will be discussed briefly at the Status Hearing Date.]